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1. The Bureau of the Budget has forwarded for comment the Administration's proposed bill to provide a measure of coordination between the Civil Service Retirement Act and the Social Security Act for Agency comments by 30 September. This bill embodies many of the principles of the report of the President's Committee on Retirement Benefits (Kaplan Committee) and will be studied carefully to ascertain whether it meets the needs of CIA personnel as set forth in the career service proposals. The bill will be coordinated with Personnel, Comptroller and DD/S in formulating an Agency position.

2. Mr. Killea, Executive Director of the Intelligence Staff of the Department of State, called to ascertain the Agency's position on S. 2614, a bill introduced by Sen. Smith (R., N.J.) on the subject of a Joint Committee on Intelligence Matters. I advised Mr. Killea of the position taken by the Director on this proposal. I understand the position of the Department of Defense is being handled by Gen. Erskine's office. 25X1

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